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BETHEL AND VICINITY

Mrs. Syll LeClair was in Portland Monday.
F. L. Edwards was in Portland Tuesday.
Watch and clock repairing. D. Philbrook, adv.
Mrs. Millie Clark is with Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Burk.
Miss Helen Doughty of Portland visiting in town.
Mr. and Mrs. Harold King were in Rumford Saturday.
Rev. and Mrs. L. A. Edwards were in Portland one day last week.
Sidney Chamberlin spent several days at his home in Winthrop recently.

Mrs. Harold Chamberlin of Winthrop visited her husband in town last week.
E. C. Park and H. H. Hastings attended Superior Court at Rumford Tuesday.
S. F. Flin of Haverhill, Mass., is visiting his nephew, S. S. Greenleaf, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Sears of Arlington, Mass., are at their place in town for a week.
Mr. and Mrs. David Forbes are in Boston where Mrs. Forbes is receiving medical treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. Perley Wing of Bryant Pond visited Mrs. Wing's father, Collis Morgan, Wednesday.
A special program will be presented at the meeting of the Parent Teachers Association Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. H. I. Bean and daughter Muriel returned Saturday from a 10 days' visit to Massachusetts.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Storey of Houghton were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Ramsell over the week end.

Miss Margaret Dalzell of Gorham Normal School spent the week end with her parents, Rev. and Mrs. R. C. Dalzell.

Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Philbrook have returned to their home here after spending the winter with their daughter, Mrs. Raymond Jackson, in Amesbury, Mass.

Mrs. Tena Thurston, Mrs. Viola Ford, Mrs. Margaret Foster and Miss Julia Brown were at Lewiston and Portland Saturday. Mrs. Foster remained at Portland for a few days' visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Quint.

A bronze tablet in memory of Ralph Frost, son of Mrs. Irving French, who was killed in action in France Nov. 7, 1918, is on display in the window of Allen's Shoe Store. This tablet will be given by George A. Mundt Post, American Legion, to be placed on the memorial at Newry Corner which is being built as a C. W. A. project.

The Amateur Night program under the sponsorship of the Ladies' Club won the enthusiastic approval of an audience which packed Odeon Hall Tuesday evening. The entertainment was furnished by four local organizations and prizes were given as follows: 1, Ways and Means Club of the Eastern Star; 2, American Legion; 3, Sunset Re-creation Lodge; 4, Ladies' Aid.

Miss Elizabeth Bean was tendered a surprise party Monday evening at the Legion rooms in honor of her seventeenth birthday. The party was planned by her mother, Mrs. W. R. Bean, assisted by Misses Emma Warren and Sylvia Merrill. Many schoolmates were present and enjoyed the evening with games and dancing. Miss Bean was the recipient of many nice gifts. Refreshments were served by Mrs. F. Bean and Mrs. Wallace Warren.

He Was Not a Candidate



FRANK A. BROWN
Selectman

SURPRISE MOTION RETURNS BROWN AS BETHEL SELECTMAN

Chairman of Board Re-Elected by One Ballot—Appropriations Made Without Discussion—Town Officers to Receive More

Brown Accepts Office

As readers of the Citizen know, during the past few weeks several candidates for the board of selectmen have made announcement of their intentions, all evidently resulting from the statement of Frank A. Brown in our issue of Feb. 1 that he was not to be a candidate for re-election to the board at the March meeting. Repeated verbal statements to that effect after friends had entreated him to reconsider his stand had aroused the voters to considerable enthusiasm for various candidates and by the time the vote for selectmen was due to take place the hall was crowded. On the motion of Fred F. Bean that the clerk cast one ballot for Frank A. Brown as first selectman, Mr. Brown stated that he had served for 15 years and did not care to continue, but after the vote was passed he did not remonstrate further.

Contests

The contest for second selectman was between John H. Howe and Ernest F. Bisbee, both of whom were announced candidates for the first position. Howe polled 132 votes, Bisbee 94, and Carroll Abbott 18. For third selectman Carroll E. Abbott received 121 votes and Gordon E. Lathrop 51. As usual one ballot was cast by the clerk for each of the selectmen to serve as assessor and overseer of the poor. John Harrington was unanimously returned as treasurer.

Much interest centered about the school committee contest. Mrs. Agnes Twaddle seeking re-election and Mrs. Alma Thurston being a new candidate. Mrs. Twaddle had 143 votes and Mrs. Thurston 181. Bids to collect taxes for .008 on the dollar were made by E. E. Bennett, W. E. Bartlett, and Garard C. Eames. The rate was established at this figure with the fee of 15 cents for each excise tax receipt. Out of the 307 votes for this office Bartlett received 250, Eames 42, and Bennett 35.

There was another contest for road commissioner. Bert Brown, who has held the office since 1927, receiving 257 votes, and Philip Brown 74. The pay for this position was fixed at \$4.00 a day.

Would Discontinue Ferry Road

It was voted to instruct the treasurer to apply money received in payment on tax deeds and interest

BETHEL OFFICIALS

Moderator—H. H. Hastings
Clerk—Alice J. Brooks

Selectmen—Frank A. Brown,
John H. Howe, Carroll E. Abbott

Treasurer—John M. Harrington

School Committee—Alma Thurston

Collector—Walter E. Bartlett

Road Commissioner—Euberto P. Brown

Auditor—Herbert R. Bean.

Won 230 Votes Out of 307



WALTER E. BARTLETT
Collector

DISTRICT PLAY CONTEST TO BE HELD AT GOULD

The District One-Act Play Contest for this section of the State will be held in William Bingham Gymnasium Saturday evening, March 24. To date, three schools have signified their intentions of entering, Gould Academy, Norway High School, and Buckfield High School. The winner in this competition will be eligible to compete in the State contest to be held later in the spring. Three competent judges from out-of-town will choose the winner of the district contest. General admission will be 25 cents and reserved seats may be obtained for 35 cents. Further announcements will be made later.

EXTRACTS FROM REPORT OF VILLAGE CORPORATION

Valuation of Property,	\$794,680.00
Number of polls,	246
Rate of taxation,	.00425
Percentage paid for collecting,	.015
Total assessments,	\$3,570.00
Excise tax,	\$186.59
Expenditures	
Police,	\$591.00
Park,	310.38
Skating rink,	9.93
Fire department,	752.38
Hydrants,	1,020.00
Lights,	1,477.43
Hose and lantern battery,	253.75
Miscellaneous,	427.89
Corporation buildings,	189.49
Dump,	100.00

TOURIST KEEPER TO MEET

Women who take summer tourists will be especially interested in the meeting to be held at the vestry of the Methodist Church, Bethel, on Friday afternoon, March 9, at 2 o'clock. This subject, "The Maine Tourist Home," will be presented by Miss Edna Cobb, State Home Management Leader. Miss Cobb spent some time last summer visiting tourist homes in different sections of the state, and has some very interesting pictures to show. Maine is fast becoming "tourist minded," and each year more requests for help are received by the Extension Service. This project was organized as a direct answer to such questions as: "What Can I Do to Make My Home More Attractive to Tourists?", "Please Send Me Some Menus for Meals Which are Easy to Serve at All Hours." From her wealth of experience, Miss Cobb will discuss some little bedroom conveniences, making a more attractive dining room, porch subjects.

Everyone who takes tourists will find the meeting of interest. Everyone is welcome.

GOULD HONOR PARTS ANNOUNCED

Senior Honor Parts at Gould Academy were announced by Principal Frank E. Haseom at chapel exercises on Thursday morning. The three highest honors were awarded to Bethel students: Mary A. Tibbetts, valedictory; Richard E. Marshall, salutatory; and Stanley W. Allen, presentation of class gift. The other Honor Students were Shirley Cole of Gilead and Winona Chapin of Bethel.

Miss Tibbetts is the daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Raymond R. Tibbetts. She was a winner of the Dr. Charlotte Hammond Poetry Prize and has taken a very prominent part in school activities; editor-in-chief of the Academy Herald, president of the Gould chapter of the Girl Reserves, guard on the girls' varsity basketball team, and leading roles in dramatics, debating and public speaking. Miss Tibbetts will enter college in the fall and specialize in languages.

Richard E. Marshall is the son of Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Marshall. He is an associate editor of the Academy Herald and has participated in debating, dramatics and interclass basketball. Richard is the youngest boy in the graduating class.

Stanley Allen is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer C. Allen. Stanley has been an outstanding athlete in three major sports, football, basketball and baseball. For the last two seasons he has played a stellar game at center on the basketball team, champions and runners-up respectively at the Lewiston Smaller Schools Tournaments. On the football team he starred as an end and in baseball is a regular pitcher and outfielder. He is president of the Gould chapter of the Y. M. C. A., class treasurer, member of the winter sports team, and has taken leading parts in dramatics and public speaking. Allen plans to enter college in the fall.

Miss Cole is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Cole of Gilead. Miss Chapin is the daughter of Miss A. Chapin of Bethel.

Two persons were killed and 19 injured in motor vehicle accidents in Maine during February.

The State Fish and Game department planted 17,291,578 game fish in the State's lakes, ponds and streams last year.

Unless \$20,000 in unpaid taxes is received by the city within 30 days Rockland faces the prospect of closing its schools at the end of that period.

If Mothers Only Knew

Thousands of Children Suffer from Worms, and Their Mothers do not know what the trouble is.

Signs of Worms are: Constipation, deranged stomach, swollen upper lip, offensive breath, hard and full stomach with pains, pale face, eyes heavy, short dry cough, grinding of the teeth, etc.

Mrs. E. W. Stephan, 31 Kennerly Road, Dorchester, Mass., wrote: "My little girl's freedom from children's diseases, colds, constipation, etc., I attribute in a large measure to the use of Dr. True's Elixir."

Dr. True's Elixir

Laxative Worm Expeller

A pure herb medicine, not a harsh stimulant; natural relief from constipation. Successfully Used for 81 Years

WEST PARIS AND VICINITY

GEORGE W. RIDLON

George W. Ridlon died at his home on Maine Street, West Paris, Monday afternoon, March 5, after a long period of failing health. He was the son of Ezra and Eliza Thurlow Ridlon, and was born in Woodstock, Jan. 25, 1856.

His first marriage was to Gertrude Owen of Woodstock, a son, Clarence Leon Ridlon, of West Paris was born of this union. Mrs. Ridlon passed away when the son was about 18 months old. Four years later he married Miss Winnie E. Fuller of West Paris, who survives him.

Other survivors are a daughter, Mrs. Bertha Agnes Buck; four grandchildren, Kenneth, Derwood and Rosalee of West Paris and Mrs. Lucille Andrews of Paris; three great grandchildren; a sister, Mrs. Nellie R. Moody of Locke Mills; and two nieces, Mrs. Dora Jackson of West Paris and Mrs. L. H. Penley of Portland.

Mr. Ridlon retired from business several years ago. At one time he was active in the development of Ridlonville and for him the place and hotel Ridlon were named. He was a kind husband and father and obliging neighbor and friend.

The funeral was held from the First Universalist Church, Wednesday afternoon at two o'clock. Rev. Eleanor B. Forbes, pastor of the church officiating. The remains were placed in Wayside tomb to await burial in the family lot in West Paris Cemetery.

WEST PARIS

The Forty Four Class met at the chapel at 2:30 o'clock Sunday afternoon. Rev. James E. Kirkpatrick from the Baptist Church, South Paris was the leader and took up the study of the lesson in a very interesting and helpful way. The hour of meeting and the leader for next Sunday will be announced later.

Funeral services for Mrs. Julia Beedy were held from the home of her daughter, Mrs. Scottie Mann, Wednesday afternoon, Feb. 28. Those who attended from away were: Mr. and Mrs. Roger O. Beedy, Orono; Mr. and Mrs. Prince Beedy, Mr. and Mrs. Perley Judkins, Ridlonville; Mrs. Hilda Comeau, Zella Willoughby, Paul and Hugh Willoughby, Mrs. William Eustis, Dixfield.

Frank P. Knight, Jr., is in Manchester, Mass., for the week and Mrs. Knight is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry B. Foster, in Norway.

Edwin Mann and Maxine Mann visited the families of Roger O. Beedy at Orono and Lewis J. Mann at Old Town from Thursday until Sunday.

Edwin J. Mann was the guest of his son, Lewis J. Mann, and family at Old Town two or three days last week and attended a social function of the S. A. E. Fraternity of the University of Maine, of which he and his son are members.

Harry W. Chapman is sufficiently recovered to be able to be out again.

Orin Cole has been ill the past week.

Mrs. Laura McKee, Mrs. Mildred Davis and Miss Mabel Ricker, who have been C. W. A. workers, have finished work.

SOUTH WOODSTOCK

Sunday, March 4th—A very nice warm sunny day. The snow is melting fast, much water running down the road ways.

The C. W. A. work is again going on here at South Woodstock. Edgar O. Woods was dropped from the rolls to satisfy the 10% quota cut. Shirley Wilson was transferred from the C. W. A. South Woodstock project to the Bryant Pond project and will work there for the present.

"Pete" Andrews, who is attending Maine School of Commerce, was ill this past week, suffering from the effects of a cold and throat trouble causing a five days leave of absence from his school work.

Road Commissioner Cushman called out an all night crew Feb. 23. Some 30 men responded. A midnight lunch of sandwiches and steaming hot coffee was served and was greatly appreciated by all.

A very nice food sale was held in the S. D. A. Church School in Perkins Valley, Feb. 28. Quite a number from this place attended and a good representation from West Paris.

Friends of Francis Johnson received a recent letter from him stating that he was now in Township No. 6, still cutting white birch where he has been since going to Hale in October.

John Estes and son Ralph, who live near the Woodstock and Paris town line are cutting wood for Claude Cushman. They have a good job for the remainder of the winter or a year round job if they want to continue that long.

Lots of collectors are out today in the interest of their special candidates for election on March 5, town meeting day.

Woodstock's annual town report has arrived; also I have a hand the Bethel and Paris reports; all very interesting matter which will be most thoughtfully perused and copies preserved for future reference. Thanks to the donors.

Schools through town have been closed during the past week and will reopen Tuesday, March 6.

Pomona Grange met Tuesday, March 6, the guest of West Paris Grange No. 149.

During the past week every available man has been pressed into service shoveling snow on the cross roads, some of which, at this writing, have not yet been opened to traffic.

The Willing Workers, who were to have held their regular meeting Feb. 21, had it postponed to Feb. 28, when it was held at the home of Mrs. Annie Davis. It was most ably conducted by their president, Mrs. Jennie Abbott. Thirteen members present. One quilt was tacked to be sent to a Portland friend. Refreshments of cake and ice cream were served. Next meeting in two weeks, March 14th.

Town meeting took place for this town at Bryant Pond. First Selectman A. H. Russ resigned and most heartily thanked his many friends here for their support during his past terms. Dana O. Badley was then chosen for that office. George H. Cummings was chosen 2d and Albert N. Felt, 3d selectman. Superintending School Committee: Abner H. Mann, Frank A. Bean and Harrie E. Hathaway. All other officers same as last year. Some money was made. It was voted to raise \$500 for an additional room at Union School, So. Woodstock, which is an actual necessity immediately needed.

SWIFT-ROWE

A quiet wedding took place at the home of Rev. Eleanor B. Forbes on Saturday evening, at seven o'clock, when Clayton Albra Swift and Ursula Louise Rowe were united in marriage. The couple were attended by Jennie B. Dunham, a relative of the bride. The double ring service was used.

Mrs. Swift is the daughter of Mrs. Annie L. Rowe and a graduate of West Paris High School in the class of 1932. Mr. Swift is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald A. Swift and attended West Paris High.

The young couple received many useful and pretty gifts.

Wedding Invitations or Announcements Printed at the Citizen Office.

WARRANT FOR CORPORATION MEETING

To F. E. Hanseom, Clerk of Bethel Village Corporation, County of Oxford, State of Maine.

Greeting:—In the name of the State of Maine, you are hereby requested to notify and warn the inhabitants of said Corporation, in Bethel, qualified to vote in Corporation affairs, to meet in the Corporation Building, situated in District No. 15, on the 12th day of March, A. D. 1934, at half past seven o'clock in the afternoon, then and there to act on the following articles, to wit:

- Art. 1. To choose a Moderator to preside at said meeting.
- Art. 2. To choose a Clerk for the ensuing year.
- Art. 3. To hear and act on the report of the Assessors, Tax Collector, Engineers, Treasurer, and Auditor.
- Art. 4. To choose Assessors for the ensuing year.
- Art. 5. To choose a Treasurer for the ensuing year.
- Art. 6. To choose an Auditor for the ensuing year.
- Art. 7. To establish a method of collecting taxes for the ensuing year.
- Art. 8. To choose a Tax Collector for the ensuing year.
- Art. 9. To choose all other Corporation officers for the ensuing year.
- Art. 10. To see what sum of money the Corporation will vote and raise for the employment of Police or Night Watchman for the ensuing year.
- Art. 11. To see what sum of money the Corporation will vote and raise for the care of Parks, and for removing dead limbs from the trees over the village streets for the ensuing year.
- Art. 12. To see what sum of money the Corporation will vote and raise to pay the members of the Fire Department for their services, and other expenses of the Department for the ensuing year.
- Art. 13. To see what sum of money the Corporation will vote and raise for the use of Hydrants for the ensuing year.
- Art. 14. To see what sum of money the Corporation will vote and raise for the Lighting of Streets, for the ensuing year.
- Art. 15. To see what sum of money the Corporation will vote and raise for the Hose Fund, for the use of the Fire Department.
- Art. 16. To see what sum of money the Corporation will vote and raise for Miscellaneous expenses.
- Art. 17. To see what sum of money the Corporation will vote and raise for the use and care of a Dump, for the ensuing year.
- Art. 18. To see if the Corporation will vote to pay for the bonds of the Treasurer and Collector.
- Art. 19. To see if the Corporation for the purpose of procuring a temporary loan to, and for the use of, the Bethel Village Corporation to pay indebtedness of said Corporation due and to become due during the present municipal year, the same to be paid out of money raised by taxation during the present municipal year, will authorize and direct its Treasurer to borrow from time to time a sum of money, or sums of money, not exceeding \$2,500 and to execute and deliver the notes or notes of the Corporation therefor signed by its Treasurer and countersigned by the municipal officers of the Corporation.
- Art. 20. To act upon any other business that may legally come before the meeting.

Hereof, fail not, and have you there this warrant with your doings thereon.

Given under our hands this fifth day of March, A. D. 1934.

ERNEST F. BISBEE,
HARRY E. JORDAN,
Assessors Bethel Village Corporation.

Perkins Valley — Woodstock

Alva Hendrickson is through lumbering for this winter. He has delivered over 600 cords of wood in the market.

Charles Smith carried Mr. and Mrs. Bernal Thurlow to Minot and Mechanic Falls, Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Swinton gave a surprise party to their son Earle, on his sixth birthday, March 4. A pleasing program was provided and a treat of candy, peanuts and pop corn was served. There were 25 present and an enjoyable evening was spent. Earle received many nice presents.

A nice program was given by the S. D. A. Church School last Wednesday evening. There are eight pupils and under the good instructions of the teacher, Carl Franz, the program was much enjoyed. There were refreshments on sale and a few articles, which netted a good sum of over \$10.00.

George Hendrickson, Paul Thurlow, Elder Rolfe and Hub Redding went to Andover Sunday to see Mrs. Frank Perkins who has been poorly all winter. They found her some better.

Alva Hendrickson sold a pair of horses to Dana Dudley. Nearly all from here attended town meeting.

BUSINESS CARDS

Watch This Space for Daily

Eyes Examined, Glasses Fitted by
E. L. GREENLEAF
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over Rowe's Store

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EXIDE Batteries, CROCKETT'S GARD
GOODRICH Rubbers, ROY
McKESSON Health Products, W. E. BOSSE
MICHAELS-STERN Clothes, ROW
MUNTING WEAR, ROW
MURRAY Tires, LORD'S GARD
PHILCO Radios, E. P. L
RADIOA, Kolster Radios, CROCKETT'S GARD
WALK OVER Shoes, ROW
WATERMAN Fountain Pens, W. E. BOSSE

BRYANT

REPUBLICAN TOWN COMMITTEE ELECTIONS

The Republican Town Committee held a caucus at Bryant Pond Saturday afternoon. The following officers were elected:
Chairman—B. R. Billings.
Vice Chairman—Florence E. Cushman.
Secretary—Edith C. Abbott.
Treasurer—F. W. Gordon.
The following delegates were chosen to go to the State and District Conventions: C. C. Dudley, B. R. Billings, A. H. Russ. Alternates: D. O. Dudley, Frank Bean, F. W. Gordon.

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QUALITY and PRICE Guaranteed
Big, Sweet Oranges, 2 doz. 30c
White, Strictly fresh Eggs, 2 doz. 40c
pkgs. Pillsbury Pan Cake Flour with 1 pt. bottle Syrup, 35c
PURE LARD, Swift's, 4 lbs. 35c
NEESE, Full Cream, 1 lb. 18c
ORANGE JUICE, 2 cans 25c
This is delicious, try a can
SOAP SALE—
WHITE NATHA, 10 bars 25c
BIG BEN SOAP SHREDS, 2 large boxes 47c
ARCONOMY SOAP FLAKES, 5 lb. pkg. 30c
Perfect Toilet Soap, Ice cake, 5c
Sunbrite Cleaner, 5c or 6 for 25c
ONARCH VANILLA, 27c
ONARCH LEMON, 27c
OFFEE, Fresh Roasted—
B. Blend, 19c
OLD DUTCH, 25c
OLD SCOTCH, 29c
Onarch Shredded Coconut, 2 pkgs. 25c
Imported SARDINES, can 10c
Free Running Salt, 2 pkgs. 15c
Orman Sweet Apples, pk. 29c
POTATOES, pk. 29c
ATON, Davis, lb. 19c

MARK C. ALLEN
BRYANT POND, ME.

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SALE
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BIG BEN SOAP SHREDS, 2 large boxes 47c
BIG BEN SOAP, 6 cakes 25c
ARCONOMY SOAP FLAKES, 5 lb. pkg. 39c
Perfect Toilet Soap, 1 lb. cake, 5c
Sunbrite Cleaner, 5c or 6 for 25c
ONARCH VANILLA, 27c
ONARCH LEMON, 27c
OFFEE, Fresh Roasted—
B. Blend, 19c
OLD DUTCH, 25c
OLD SCOTCH, 29c
Onarch Shredded Coconut, 2 pkgs. 25c
Imported SARDINES, can 10c
Free Running Salt, 2 pkgs. 15c
Graham Sweet Apples, pk. 29c
PEANUTS, pk. 29c
ONARCH, Davis, 1b. 19c

MARK C. ALLEN
BRYANT POND, ME.

FRANKLIN GRANGE

Franklin Grange held its regular meeting Saturday evening with every officer present. The following program was put on:

Song, Jingle Bells, Grange
Roll Call, Quotations or Anecdotes, Songs, Solomon Levi and The Old Oaken Bucket, Manning Arata
Reading, Iva Ring
Reading, Elwin Cushman
Talk on Maine, Bro. Ellis Davis
Reading, Marion Felt
One Minute Play, Linwood Felt
Hanno Cushman and Cleo Twit-chell.
Song, Grange

The young people played games until a late hour.

NORTH WOODSTOCK

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Abbott were callers at his parents', Mr. and Mrs. Cullen Abbott's, on Sunday. George Abbott was also a caller there.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hemingway called on Mr. and Mrs. George Davis, also Mr. and Mrs. Francis Cole and family Sunday afternoon.

John Knights returned to his work at Strong, after spending the past two weeks with his mother, and sister, Mrs. Herman Cole.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Whitman were at Norway Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis McGuire and Mr. and Mrs. Lubert McGuire of Dixfield were week end visitors of Mr. and Mrs. George Cushman and family.

Pauline and Shirley Brown attended a 4-H Club meeting at South Paris Saturday.

Hanno Cushman and mother, Mrs. George Cushman, were at Lewiston one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Dudley spent Friday evening with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Cole and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Alpheous Coffin and family visited with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Millett at Milton last week.

Mrs. Hardy is not as well.

Herman Fuller is at home.

WILSON'S MILLS

There were a number here from Magalloway for town meeting.

Ted Hovey and Bert Smith were down the lake for town meeting.

Robert Storey's farm buildings burned to the ground one afternoon recently. The fire started upstairs in the house. There were a shed and barn connected. Practically everything downstairs was saved, also the farming tools and stock in the barn. Both Mr. and Mrs. Storey and their two little children were at home at the time. The cause of the fire is unknown. Mr. Storey has moved into W. H. Hart's camp for the remainder of the winter, when he intends to build again. We hear there was a small insurance.

We are having a thaw here now. It rained hard Saturday forenoon. The snow has slumped a lot, but there is plenty left.

Floyd West and Gerald Littlehale are taking snow measurements on Azischoos and Deer Mountains for the Androscoggin Reservoir Co.

Iver Bennett spent Tuesday and Friday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Littlehale.

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SONGO POND

Mildred Stanley, who is in the St. Marie Hospital, Lewiston, is gaining fast.

A. B. Kimball was in Berlin Tuesday on business.

Leonard Kimball, Mr. and Mrs. Carlton Penley were in Lewiston Sunday to see Mrs. Penley's daughter, Mildred Stanley.

Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Donahue were in town Monday and attended town meeting.

Edward Lapham is driving the snow plow. He is winter road commissioner.

Carl Penley and Herbert Damon have been shoveling the snow drift on the school house road as it was impossible for the tractor to go through it.

Mrs. Leslie Kimball and daughter Eleanor, Mrs. Wendall Barker and son Herbert called on Mrs. Floyd Kimball and Mrs. Herbert Damon one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. George Brown and daughter, Henry Westleigh and Gordon Mason of West Bethel, Roger Clough and daughter of Bethel were callers at Floyd Kimball's Sunday.

W. H. Chadbourne of Lewiston was a caller at Floyd Kimball's on business Tuesday.

Guy Morrill of Mason was in town Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Adams spent a few days last week with their daughter, Mrs. Rose Penley.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Kimball and son, Hollis Hutchinson and Elmo Saunders were at Floyd Kimball's Monday.

Wedding Invitations or Announcements Printed at the Citizen Office

WEST GREENWOOD

Mr. and Mrs. Croteau and family called on her grandmother in Waterford Sunday.

Joe Sears of Bethel was a caller in this vicinity recently.

Alister Lowe and family were callers at Mr. Croteau's Sunday.

Ray Thompson of Upton was in town Sunday.

Jim Marshall was in town recently.

Charles Conner of Albany called on Paul Croteau Sunday.

Mr. Greenleaf of Bethel was in town one day last week.

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Have just unloaded another car of Reeves copper steel galvanized roofing, all 26 gauge. Let us quote applied price.

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THURSDAY, MARCH 8, 1934

BETHEL NEEDS

More and Better Sidewalks—winter
and summer,
Rural Fire Protection,
Night Watchman—All the Year,
Enforced Traffic Rules,
Australian Ballot System for Town
Meetings.

GOULD ACADEMY NOTES

We quote the following from the
Lewiston Journal relative to the
Lewiston Tournament: "The Tour-
nament brought together eight
coaches who are a credit to the
game. Each and every one was a
good loser or a good winner, as the
case happened to be. It was par-
ticularly noticeable that Coach An-
derson of Gould was the first to
congratulate Coach Cole on Nor-
way's victory. He also shook hands
with each member of the winning
team and complimented them on
their fine play."

During chapel Monday morning
Principal Hanscom presented to
the school the second-place trophy
cup won by the basketball team in
the Lewiston Tournament. Doctor
Hanscom praised the accomplish-
ments of the entire squad and the
coaches; his remarks were greeted
with prolonged applause for both
the team and for coaches Anderson
and Myers.

Ronald Stanley, utility player on
the Gould basketball team, was
awarded a forward position on the
All Tournament Five. Thomaston
and Norway each placed two play-
ers in the other four positions.
Paul Browne and Stanley Allen
were placed on the All Tourney
Second-Team.

Examinations for the fourth six-
week period will be given Thurs-
day and Friday of this week.

With the recent completion of
the book-room in the new academy
building, textbooks were moved in-
to the new structure last week. The
new library is practically complet-
ed and library books will be moved
within a few days. It is understood
that razing of the old academy
building will start promptly at the
beginning of vacation, March 24.
This work will be under the direc-
tion of H. Alton Bacon of Bryant
Pond.

Stuart Lane, Gould '33, prominent
member of last year's Gould track
team, scored in four events in the
recent Maine Freshmen-Coburn-He-
bron triangular track meet held at
the University of Maine. Lanelled
for first place in the pole vault and
gathered one point each in the high
jump, discus, and 600 yd. run.

Word has been received from
Colby College, stating that George
Anderson, Gould '31, is doing es-
pecially well in his work in busi-
ness administration; it is rumored
that Mr. Anderson will become an
assistant in that department next
year.

Decorations were given last
Friday by: Lillian Fuller, Sorhne
Waterhouse, Stanley Brown, Helen
Phillbrook, Florine Bean, Georgia
Jenkins, Pauline LaTure, Sylvia
Merrill, Esther Wheeler, Pearl Ad-
ams, Betty Wengle, Elizabeth Bean,
Pauline Duck, Ruby Jodrey, Mary
Sanborn, Mary Bean, Marguerite
Brooks, Margaret French, and Ri-
chard Davis.

Wednesday's chapel program was
arranged by Mrs. Thompson and
conducted by Miss Marguerite
Brooks. Following the customary

opening exercises, Miss Brooks in-
troduced Miss Zona White who gave
a very instructive talk on The Ber-
ry School in Georgia. Dr. Hanscom
who had visited the school several
years ago, related several interest-
ing anecdotes connected with his
visit to that institution.

In the boys class basketball
games Tuesday afternoon, the soph-
omores defeated the seniors 30-28,
and the freshmen sunk the juniors
to the tune of 30-22. Robertson and
Wentzel starred for the freshmen;
Parsons and Smith for the juniors;
Quimby and Daniels for the sopho-
mores; and Hutchings and Whitman
for the seniors. The summary fol-
lows:

SENIORS	G	FG	TP
Hutchings,	5	2	12
Morton,	0	0	0
Bennett,	1	0	3
Davis,	0	0	0
Whitman,	4	1	9
Marshall,	1	2	4
Totals,	11	5	28

SOPHOMORES	G	FG	TP
Lovejoy,	1	2	4
Quimby,	4	0	8
Daniels,	4	0	8
Onofrio,	2	0	4
Coolidge,	0	1	1
Lozier,	0	0	0
Totals,	11	3	25

Handicap, 5

JUNIORS	G	FG	TP
Smith,	3	0	6
Phillbrook,	1	1	3
King,	2	0	4
Brown,	0	1	1
Parsons,	3	0	6
Chapman,	1	0	2
Totals,	10	2	22

FRESHMEN	G	FG	TP
Wentzel,	2	3	7
Robertson,	5	1	11
Moore,	0	0	0
Chapman,	0	0	0
Thurston,	0	0	0
Morgan,	0	0	0
Totals,	7	4	18

Handicap, 12

Referee, Coach Anderson. Tim-
Young, Scorer, Jenkins.

The Happy-Go-Lucky J-H Club
met Wednesday, March 7, at the
home of their leader, Adelaide
Gibbs. After the business meeting
the members started to make
twelve. They played a few games
and had refreshments of ice cream
and cake. Next time the club will
take up "Darning."

The Sunset Retreat Lodge ob-
served past noble grand and char-
ter members' night Monday even-
ing. The program included an or-
iginal poem to the guests of honor,
read by Mrs. E. H. Smith and edotes
read by several members, songs and
readings.

The United States has accepted
the invitation of the Italian gov-
ernment to be officially represent-
ed at the tenth annual international
dairy congress to be held in Rome
from April 30 to May 6. Dr. Lore
A. Rogers of Maine, chief, division
or research laboratories, bureau of
dairy industry, was chosen as one
of the delegates.

The town of Bridgton, owing to
its high cost of snow removal the
past month, is looking for some one
who is willing to contract to keep
its highways cleared of snow for
three years.

P. T. A. PROGRAM

Brother, can you spare a dime
For candy and cards and an even-
ing gay?

Just ten cents will give you a plea-
sant time.

And help our cause, Bethel P. T. A.

Prizes will be given. The follow-
ing program will be presented by
the program committee, Miss Page,
Mrs. Merle Wheeler and Mrs. Cella
Gorman, at the grammar school
building next Monday evening.

Songs in costume, Ida Clough
Play, "The Minister's Mistake"

Minister, Charles Freeman
Mrs. Smith, Helen Berry

The maid, Barbara Heath
Guitar trio, Mrs. J. B. Chapman,
Mrs. Harold Nutting, Miss Eliza-
beth Bean

Reading, Miss Kathryn Brink

TOWN MEETINGS

ALBANY

Moderator—R. G. Wardwell
Clerk—Lillian L. Brown
Selectmen—R. G. Wardwell, L. J.
Andrews, Leo Stearns
Treasurer—H. M. Wardwell
School Committee—R. G. Ward-
well

Collector and Constable—Lillian
L. Brown

Road Commissioners—E. C. Lap-
ham (winter); F. E. Scribner and
Arthur Kimball (summer).

Appropriations

Roads and bridges,	\$2,500.00
State aid road,	300.00
State aid patrol,	250.00
Third class maintenance,	425.00
Support of poor,	800.00
Common schools,	1,950.00
Textbooks and supplies,	75.00
Repairs,	50.00
High school tuition,	500.00
Memorial Day,	10.00
Public Health Nurse,	15.00
Miscellaneous account,	800.00
50-50 maintenance,	50.00
Cutting bushes,	275.00
Interest,	207.00

ANDOVER

Moderator—J. F. Talbot

Clerk—H. M. Thomas

Selectmen—F. C. French, S. C.

Abbott, R. L. Thurston

Treasurer—A. L. Lang

School Committee—Dr. B. I. Cas-
sin

Collector—A. L. Lang

Road Commissioner—T. H. Lear-
ned

Appropriations

Roads and bridges,	\$2,500.00
Winter roads,	1,750.00
State aid road,	533.00
Insurance,	135.00
State aid patrol,	250.00
Third class maintenance,	384.00
Support of poor,	900.00
Common schools,	3,800.00
Supplies,	200.00
Repairs,	325.00
Superintendence,	315.00
High school,	2,200.00
Hook and ladder company,	150.00
Notes or bonds,	2,500.00
Street lights,	1,000.00
50-50 money,	50.00
Physician,	1,000.00
Cemeteries,	50.00
Miscellaneous account,	1,000.00
Public Library,	150.00
Care Town Hall,	150.00
Hydrants,	800.00
Interest,	1,100.00
C. W. A. material,	25.00

BROWNFIELD

Moderator—Sherman McDonald

Clerk—E. E. Rounds

Selectmen—W. D. Blake, H. W.

Byington, Arnold Walker

Treasurer—Arthur Linscott

School Committee—C. O. Stickney

Collector—Arthur Linscott

Road Commissioner—Wm. Moody

Appropriations

Roads and bridges,	\$1,500.00
Winter roads,	1,000.00
State aid road,	533.00
State aid patrol,	750.00
Third class maintenance,	473.00
Support of poor,	2,500.00
Common schools,	3,420.00
Textbooks and supplies,	200.00
Repairs,	300.00
Secondary schools,	1,350.00
Memorial Day,	25.00
Public Health Nurse,	35.00
Town officers' bills,	1,200.00
Miscellaneous account,	1,500.00

BUCKFIELD

Moderator—W. H. Conant

Clerk—Albert T. Cole

Selectmen—Hersey Warren, Ger-
ald H. Bessey, William V. Redding

Treasurer—Alfred T. Cole

School committee—Perley B.

Dunn

Collector—Alton Gammon

Road commissioner—Alma Gam-
mon

Appropriations

Roads and bridges,	\$2,000.00
State aid road,	533.00
Third class maintenance,	723.00
Winter roads,	2,500.00
State road patrol,	500.00

Street lights,	250.00
Support of poor,	3,000.00
Common schools,	3,550.00
Repairs,	250.00
High school,	2,350.00
Textbooks and supplies,	250.00
Cemeteries,	100.00
Memorial Day,	25.00
Town debt, \$500 and excise tax	
Library,	275.00
Miscellaneous expenses,	250.00
Total appropriations,	\$10,056.00

DENMARK

Moderator—P. L. Pingree

Clerk—L. E. Libby

Selectmen—P. L. Pingree, Arthur

Rankin, Ralph Libby

Treasurer—Violet Mitchell

School Committee—L. E. Libby

Collector—Harold McIntire

Road Commissioner—A. H. Jack

Appropriations

Roads and bridges,	\$1,500.00
Winter roads,	1,200.00
State aid road,	275.00
State aid patrol,	275.00
Third class maintenance,	478.00
Support of poor,	1,350.00
Common schools,	2,650.00
Textbooks and supplies,	200.00
Repairs,	150.00
High school,	1,700.00
Memorial Day,	7.00
Public Health Nurse,	23.00
Town officers' bills,	2,000.00

DIXFIELD

Moderator—E. L. Stetson

Clerk—Chestina Gilkey

Selectmen—D. A. Gates, Adelbert

McIntire, Roy S. Hathaway

Treasurer—Chestina Gilkey

School Committee—Grace T. Fos-
ter, Clarence Emery

Collector—Willis W. Waite

Road Commissioner—Ellery Port-
er

Overseers of Poor—Gertrude
Owen, Will S. Holman, Melissa
Brackett

Appropriations

Roads and bridges,	\$2,000.00
Winter roads,	2,200.00
State road,	700.00
Third class maintenance,	500.00
Hydrants,	600.00
Support of poor,	3,500.00
Common schools,	6,600.00
High school,	2,700.00
Repairs,	700.00
Textbooks and supplies,	500.00
Town debt,	3,000.00
Public Library,	100.00
Memorial Day,	50.00
Cemetery fund,	60.00
Town officers,	1,550.00
Public welfare,	200.00
Public health nurse,	35.00
School office expense,	100.00
Insurance, lights, water,	400.00
Permanent school fund,	45.00
Laboratory,	60.00
Sewers,	200.00
Miscellaneous account,	600.00

FRYEBURG

Moderator—A. O. Pike, 2d.

Clerk—Harriet Abbott

Selectmen—Earl P. Osgood, Cla-
rence Ela, Harold Pitman

Treasurer—Asa O. Pike, 2d

School Committee—Harriet Ab-
bott

Collector—Richard Keefe

Road Commissioner—Chas. P.
Gray

Appropriations

Roads and bridges,	\$2,500.00
Winter roads,	1,400.00
State aid road,	660.00
State aid patrol,	2,030.00
Third class maintenance,	527.00
Support of poor,	3,500.00
Common schools,	7,343.00
Textbooks and supplies,	600.00
Repairs,	350.00
High school tuition,	7,500.00
Memorial Day,	50.00
Public Health Nurse,	35.00
Current Expenses,	3,500.00
Interest on notes,	600.00
Retire notes,	1,000.00
C. W. A. material,	600.00
Fence for Grammar School,	600.00
Total appropriations,	\$37,990.00

GILEAD

Moderator—A. R. Mason

Clerk—Sherman Emery

Selectmen—A. J. Blake, F. A.
Wight, Carl Richardson

Treasurer—Goldie A. Wight
School Committee—C. H. Col-
lector—Leland Mason
Road Commissioner—B. L. L.
nett

Appropriations

Roads and bridges,	\$200.00
Winter roads,	50.00
State aid road,	5.00
State aid patrol,	48.00
Third class maintenance,	5.00
Support of poor,	60.00
Common schools,	90.00
Textbooks and supplies,	10.00
Repairs,	5.00
High school tuition,	40.00
Public Health Nurse,	1.00
Town officers' bills,	45.00
Note and interest on truck,	52.00
Five times act note and int.,	59.00

GREENWOOD

Moderator—Leo Cole

Clerk—H. E. Day

Selectmen—Carl Swan, J. H. I.
gan, D. R. Cole

Treasurer—James W. Ring

School Committee—Hazel Mil-
l

Collector—Albert Swan

Road Commissioners—R.

Cross, W. F. Yates

Appropriations

Roads and bridges,	\$2,000.00
Winter roads,	2,500.00
Third class maintenance,	478.00
Support of poor,	2,000.00
Common and high schools,	4,500.00
Textbooks and supplies,	150.00
Repairs,	750.00
Memorial Day,	25.00
Town officers' bills,	800.00

HANOVER

Moderator—Harry B. Dyer

Clerk—Arthur G. Howe

Selectmen—C. F. Saunders, R.

A. Stearns, Frank Worcester

Treasurer—Helen R. Barker

School Committee—Una
Stearns</

TOWN MEETINGS

HARTFORD

Moderator—Harold Gammon
Clerk—James E. Irish
Selectmen—Harold E. Parsons,
Harold N. Hodge, Frank A. Bragg
Treasurer—William B. Libby
School committee—Harold Gammon
Collector—Lester W. Merrill
Road commissioners—Carl Gamman, Henry Hussey

Appropriations

Roads and bridges, \$2,000.00
State aid road, 533.00
Third class maintenance, 744.00
State aid maintenance, 300.00
Winter roads, 2,000.00
Support of poor, 700.00
Common schools, 1,800.00
Repairs, 125.00
High school tuition, 750.00
Textbooks and supplies, 75.00
Memorial Day, 5.00
Road machine, 400.00
Repairs town farm barn, 150.00

HEBRON

Moderator—F. C. Sturtevant
Clerk—Everett E. Johnson
Selectmen—Charles Sawyer, Clinton Keene, Albert A. Conant
Treasurer—Everett E. Johnson
School committee—Fred C. Sturtevant
Collector—A. T. Eastman
Road commissioner—F. H. Woodward

Appropriations

Roads and bridges, \$1,000.00
Winter roads, 1,000.00
Support of poor, 600.00
Common schools, 1,900.00
High school tuition, 1,500.00
Memorial Day, 10.00
Miscellaneous account, 800.00
Town officers' bills, 1,000.00

LINCOLN PLANTATION

Moderator—Harry F. Hart
Clerk—Carloffa E. Hart
Selectmen—Leon Bennett, D. C. Bennett, W. O. Adams
Treasurer—Lewis Olson
School Committee—Mrs. W. O. Adams
Collector—Lewis Olson
Road Commissioner—Robert Olson

Appropriations

Roads and bridges, \$150.00
Winter roads, 500.00
State aid road, 533.00
State road maintenance, 1,000.00
Common schools, 1,000.00
Textbooks and supplies, 150.00
Repairs, 50.00
Town officers' bills, 500.00
School physician, 50.00
Town House account, 100.00

LOVELL

Moderator—C. V. Gross
Clerk—A. Evelyn Stone
Selectmen—Charles F. Stanford, Carl N. Brown, Leon S. Harmon
Treasurer—George G. Coa
School Committee—C. V. Gross
Collector—Benj. Russell
Road Commissioner—B. W. Brackett

Appropriations

Roads and bridges, \$2,000.00
Winter roads, 300.00
State aid road, 1,066.00
State aid patrol, 400.00
Third class maintenance, 580.00
Support of poor, 1,500.00
Common schools, 3,650.00
Textbooks and supplies, 250.00
Repairs, 200.00
Secondary schools, 2,000.00
Total appropriations, \$16,276.00

MASON

Moderator—Ell Grover
Clerk—Edmund C. Smith
Selectmen—Edmund C. Smith, Ernest H. Morrill, Eli A. Grover
Treasurer—Mrs. Viola Morrill
School committee—E. A. Grover
Collector—Mrs. Viola Morrill
Road Commissioner—Ernest Morrill

MEXICO

Moderator—John J. Johnson
Clerk—Benj. J. Robertson
Selectmen—A. D. Virgin, L. A. Braden, F. I. Howard

Treasurer—Chas. L. Stanley
School Committee—John J. Johnson
Collector—John R. Burns
Road Commissioners—Selectmen

Appropriations

Roads and bridges, \$5,500.00
Winter roads, 5,000.00
State aid patrol, 400.00
Common and high schools, 1,200.00
Textbooks and supplies, 16,700.00
Repairs, 750.00
Town officers' bills, 2,600.00
Miscellaneous account, 1,200.00
Total appropriations, \$65,103.00

MILTON PLANTATION

Moderator—E. A. Farnum
Clerk—Edith Jackson
Selectmen—Charles Poland, Herbert Buck, E. A. Farnum
Treasurer—Clara Jackson
School Committee—Clara Jackson
Collector—E. L. Buck
Road Commissioner—Will Bean

Appropriations

Roads and bridges, \$350.00
Winter roads, 350.00
State aid road, 325.00
Third class maintenance, 150.00
Common schools, 700.00
Repairs, 145.00
High school tuition, 125.00
Public Health Nurse, 5.00
Miscellaneous account, 200.00

NEWRY

Moderator—L. E. Wight
Clerk—Susan E. Wight
Selectmen—L. E. Wight, H. R. Powers, R. M. Bean
Treasurer—Susan E. Wight
School Committee—Cora Powers
Collector—Hartley Hanscom
Road Commissioners—H. H. Morton, R. M. Bean

Appropriations

Roads and bridges, \$1,100.00
Winter roads, 1,500.00
Third class maintenance, 142.00
Mothers' Aid, 240.00
School nursing, 15.00
Support of poor, 1,000.00
Common schools, 2,000.00
Textbooks and supplies, 200.00
Repairs, 75.00
High school tuition, 350.00
Public Health Nurse, 15.00
Miscellaneous account, 500.00
Supt. of Schools and office expenses, 300.00
Care cemeteries, 75.00

NORWAY

Moderator—Henry B. Foster
Clerk—David A. Klaln
Selectman three years—Raymond H. Eastman
Treasurer—Robert F. Bickford
School committee—William W. Gallagher
Collector—R. F. Bickford

Appropriations

Roads and bridges, \$5,000.00
Third class maintenance, 951.00
State road patrol, 550.00
Support of poor, 8,000.00
Common schools, 27,000.00
Repairs, 1,000.00
Memorial Day, 125.00
Miscellaneous expenses, excise tax, 800.00
Agricultural course, 500.00
Home economics course, 1,000.00
Cutting bushes, 500.00
Town officers' bills, 4,000.00
Rent hall and office, 400.00
Armory, 220.00
Library, 1,200.00
Care shade trees, 100.00
Mothers' aid, 700.00
Schoolhouse note, 1,000.00
State improvement bonds, 2,000.00
Interest, 5,600.00

OXFORD

Moderator—J. V. Hunting
Clerk—Ray P. Hall
Selectmen—E. B. Holden, F. L. Staples, R. E. Edwards
Treasurer—Ray P. Hall
School Committee—Lewis E. Trebilcock
Collector—Left with Selectmen
Road Commissioner—F. F. Fetton

Appropriations

Roads and bridges, \$1,100.00
Winter roads, 800.00
State aid road, 533.00
State aid patrol, 800.00

Third class maintenance, 550.00
Support of poor, 5,000.00
Common schools, textbooks and supplies, 5,600.00
Repairs, 700.00
High school, 2,125.00
Memorial Day, 25.00
Town officers' bills, 1,000.00
Cutting bushes, 100.00
Free public library, 200.00
C. W. A. expense, 75.67

PARIS

Moderator—Walter L. Gray
Clerk—Robert W. Wheeler
Selectmen—Carroll Wilson, L. J. Abbott, Henry E. Shaw
Treasurer—Charles H. Howard
School Committee—Dr. Edwin Kay
Collector—Carroll B. Penley
Road Commissioners—Selectmen

Appropriations

Roads and bridges, \$3,700.00
Winter roads, 7,000.00
State aid patrol, 750.00
Third class maintenance, 1,241.00
Support of poor, 7,000.00
Common schools, 17,000.00
Textbooks and supplies, 2,000.00
Repairs, 800.00
High schools, 9,900.00
Memorial Day, 100.00
School Health Nurse, 100.00
Town officers' bills, 2,900.00
Miscellaneous account, 7,000.00

PERU

Moderator—W. S. Arnold
Clerk—Howard Turner
Selectmen—E. B. Knox, S. A. Hazelton, E. C. Child
Treasurer—Howard Turner
School Committee—Hilda Dragoon
Collector—E. C. Kidder
Roads in hands of Selectmen

Appropriations

Roads and bridges, \$1,800.00
Winter roads, 2,000.00
State aid road, 533.00
State aid patrol, 800.00
Third class maintenance, 500.00
Support of poor, 1,500.00
Common schools, 3,200.00
Textbooks and supplies, 200.00
Repairs, 200.00
Memorial Day, 6.00
Public Health Nurse, 55.00
Town officers' bills, 1,000.00
Miscellaneous account, 1,000.00
Large attendance. A protracted meeting. Great interest shown.

ROXBURY

Moderator—John Reed
Clerk—(Mrs.) Linthe C. Reed
Selectmen—C. F. Taylor, Thos. Hickey, John H. Taylor
Treasurer—Marela R. Binford
School Committee—Geo. Donahue
Collector—Marela R. Binford

RUMFORD

Moderator—Albert Beliveau
Clerk—Amy Lyon
Selectmen—Robert Clunie, Joseph I. Dorion, Frank N. Taylor, Hector A. Roderick, Ernest A. Wakeley
Collector—William F. Cyr
Treasurer—Amy Lyon
Auditor—George H. Clunie
Assessors—James A. McMenamin, C. P. Voter, Fred Davis

Appropriations

Temporary loans, \$19,068.05
General school fund, 76,000.00
School Repairs, 1,500.00
Insurance, \$2,100.00
School miscellaneous, 4,100.00
Evening school, 1,000.00
School lights and water, 2,200.00
School home economics, 600.00
School manual training, 750.00
Public Library, 4,250.00
Town poor, 45,000.00
Mothers' aid, 4,500.00
Community hospital, 2,500.00
Interest, 19,500.00
Insurance, 2,000.00
Roads and bridges, 23,000.00
Tractor and plow, 3,000.00
State aid road, 1,865.00
State aid maintenance, 552.00
State aid patrol, 300.00
Third class maintenance, 775.00
Total appropriations, \$413,525.71

Carbon Paper and Typewriter Ribbons at the Citizen Office.

STONEHAM

Moderator—Albert E. Nelson
Clerk—Edwin E. Allen
Selectmen—Seth W. Johnson, John D. Grover, Willis H. Warren
Treasurer—Sarah M. Grover
School Committee—Errol J. Barker
Collector—Sarah M. Grover
Road Commissioner—V. H. Littlefield

Appropriations

Roads and bridges, \$600.00
State aid road, 300.00
Third class maintenance, 122.00
Common and high schools, 1,675.00
Textbooks, supplies, repairs, 10.00
Memorial Day, 15.00
Public Health Nurse, 1,300.00
Miscellaneous account, 1,300.00

STOW

Moderator—William Sanborn
Clerk—H. S. Emerson
Selectmen—H. S. Emerson, Walter Sampson, Maurice Eastman
Treasurer—Ruth Bryant
School Committee—Elizabeth Fernald
Collector—Irving Bryant
Road Commissioner—Edwin McKean

Appropriations

Roads and bridges, \$700.00
State aid road, 300.00
State aid patrol, 250.00
Third class maintenance, 162.00
Support of poor, 50.00
Common schools, 1,000.00
Textbooks and supplies, 50.00
Repairs, 120.00
High school tuition, 400.00
Memorial Day, 10.00
Street lights, 15.00
Town officers' bills, 450.00
Overdrawn bills, 500.00
Cutting bushes, 75.00
Mothers' aid, 180.00
Voted to pay balance of Town debt.

SUMNER

Moderator—W. M. Chandler
Clerk—H. L. Cobb
Selectmen—B. H. Bisbee, G. E. Redding, W. W. Andrews
Treasurer—H. L. Cobb
School Committee—Edith Ellingwood
Collector—H. D. Redding
Road Commissioners—Selectmen

Appropriations

Roads and bridges \$600 and \$2,400 from unpaid taxes.
Winter roads, \$3,500.00
State aid road, 533.00
State aid patrol, 350.00
Third class maintenance, 633.00
Support of poor, 1,500.00
Common schools, 2,400.00
Textbooks and supplies, 50.00
Repairs, 75.00
High school tuition, 1,400.00
Memorial Day, 25.00
Public Health Nurse, 35.00
Town officers' bills, 1,200.00
Cutting bushes, 100.00
Snow fence, 100.00

SWEDEN

Moderator—Robley Moulton
Clerk—E. S. Plummer
Selectmen—R. O. Moulton, W. C. Tower, R. H. Kneeland
Treasurer—M. B. Merrill
School Committee—R. O. Moulton
Collector—M. B. Merrill
Road Commissioner—C. L. Flint

Appropriations

Roads and bridges, \$1,100.00
Winter roads, 500.00
State aid patrol, 100.00
Third class maintenance, 333.00
Support of poor, 1,500.00
Common schools, 800.00
Textbooks and supplies, 50.00
Repairs, 50.00
Secondary schools, 300.00
Memorial Day, 5.00

UPTON

Moderator—C. A. Judkins
Clerk—Howard Douglass
Selectmen—E. S. Lane, O. Lee Abbott, C. A. Judkins
Treasurer—Howard Douglass
School Committee—Mrs. Rena Lane
Collector—A. W. Judkins
Road Commissioner—C. H. Brown

Appropriations

Roads and bridges, \$1,500.00
State aid road, 533.00
Third class maintenance, 101.00
Support of poor, 500.00
Common schools, textbooks and supplies, 1,950.00
Repairs, 500.00
Town officers' bills, 900.00
Public library, 50.00

WATERFORD

Moderator—W. W. Fillebrown
Clerk—L. R. Rounds
Selectmen—E. L. Stone, W. H. Brown, F. B. Haynes
Treasurer—W. W. Fillebrown
School Committee—B. W. Sanderson
Collector—W. W. Fillebrown
Road Commissioner—Earl Millett

Appropriations

Roads and bridges, \$1,500.00
Winter roads, 3,800.00
State aid road, 1,066.00
State aid patrol, 428.60
Third class maintenance, 886.00
Support of poor, 4,000.00
Common schools, 4,700.00
Textbooks and supplies, 150.00
Repairs, 150.00
High school tuition, 3,700.00
Memorial Day, 10.00
Street lights, 300.00
Interest on loan, 600.00
Planking bridges, 175.00

WOODSTOCK

Moderator—Alden Chase
Clerk—Clarence E. Cole
Selectmen—P. O. Dudley, George H. Chamberlain, Albert N. Felt
Treasurer—C. P. Kimball
School Committee—Harry Hathaway
Collector—Alden Chase
Road Commissioners—C. A. Smith, Nelson Perham, Claude Cushman

Appropriations

Roads and bridges, \$3,000.00
State aid road, 533.00
State aid patrol, 601.30
Third class maintenance, 601.00
Support of poor, 3,500.00
Common schools, 3,700.00
Textbooks and supplies, 350.00
Repairs, 500.00
Memorial Day, 25.00
Public Health Nurse, 44.00
Miscellaneous account, 600.00

EAST BETHEL

Miss Iva and Raymond Bartlett held a party at their home Saturday evening in honor of Miss Eurline Taylor's birthday. Ten of their friends enjoyed the evening which was spent playing games. Ice cream and cake were served.
Mrs. Lillian Bartlett entertained one day last week at her home. Two tables of cards were enjoyed. The guests were Mrs. Dillingham, Mrs. Cecil Reid, Mrs. Rose Bartlett, Mrs. Ruth Swan, Miss Iva Bartlett, Mrs. Laura Bartlett and the two hostesses Mrs. Carrie Bartlett and Mrs. Lillian Bartlett. High scores were made by Mrs. Rose Bartlett and Mrs. Ruth Swan. Low scores were won by Mrs. Dillingham and Miss Iva Bartlett.
Mrs. Edith Howe has returned to her home here from Massachusetts where she has been spending a month.

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THE STORY

CHAPTER I.—Tom Jordan, young New England newspaper reporter, is in love with Jessica Poole, is barred from becoming an acknowledged suitor because of conditions of her father's will that her husband must match her small fortune with his own. To do this, Jordan has a wild hope of wealth from the salvage of a long-sunken French corvette.

CHAPTER II.—To Doctor White, Jessica's guardian, Jordan reveals his hope. The doctor is skeptical but for Tom's sake hopeful. Jessica tells them of an encounter she had with an ill-mannered sailor, and Tom's ire is aroused. Two Frenchmen, the comte de Courlay and his son Robert, make their appearance. They claim that an ancestor of theirs commanded the *Fourquet* (which was the name of the corvette) when she sank, and left written record of treasure on board, which they assert, as his descendants, is their property. A French sailor, Sebastian, also knows of the treasure, and is seeking it.

CHAPTER III.—After talking the matter over a form of partnership is arranged between Tom and the de Courlays to prosecute the search. Jessica informs her guardian, to his surprise, that she has located the *Fourquet*, which is not where it has been supposed, and by making a line fast to the hull can establish a legal claim to salvage. She plans to do this early next morning. Doctor White, though with some misgivings, agrees to accompany her.

CHAPTER IV.—Robert de Courlay warns Tom that Sebastian is clever and unscrupulous. Tom, knowing it was Sebastian who had frightened Jessica, is more than eager to spoil that worthy's plans. He and Robert reach an understanding to work together and divide what treasure may be recovered. Knowing Sebastian will be "on the job" at once they plan to forestall him.

CHAPTER V.—Doctor White makes arrangements for a professional diver to go down to the hull of the *Fourquet* next day. Early in the morning, in a dense fog, the doctor and Jessica row out to the wreck. The diver fails to appear. Doctor White urges Jessica to postpone her attempt to reach the *Fourquet*, but the girl is insistent.

CHAPTER VI.—Jessica dives and attaches the required line to the *Fourquet*. Then she and the doctor are dumbfounded by the appearance of Sebastian, with two companions. Doctor White tells him they have legally established a salvage claim, but Sebastian feels that he has them at his mercy, produces a revolver, apparently intent on killing both the girl and the doctor. He hesitates when the sound of an approaching boat is heard. Jessica feels, intuitively, that it is Tom Jordan coming to the rescue, and her heart fills with joy at this proof of her savior's worthiness.

CHAPTER VII.—The night before, after the diver had not put out for him, Sebastian, who had been induced by Doctor White, had learned of his errand, to take him aboard. The diver, Mike Castello, has whisked on his boat, and is frightened by the close proximity of another vessel, which he fears may be a revenue cruiser. Mike conceals the whisky in the dory at the stern of the boat, and thus gives Sebastian his chance to delay Castello's diving operations.

CHAPTER VIII.—Tom and Robert, believing they are following Sebastian, keep in the wake of the smack, but lose it in the fog. Feeling their way, they suddenly find their propeller driven to pieces. Investigating, Tom finds it is enveloped in the folds of an old fishing net, and correctly ascribes the act to Sebastian. Working in the icy water, he disentangles the net, and they proceed. Robert reveals the location of the *Fourquet*, which Tom had not known. On their way to the spot they discover, at a landing station, a gavel which they recognize, and stop to investigate.

CHAPTER IX.—From Castello, who has put in there in despair, they learn that while on the way, the diver having been busy concealing the whisky, Sebastian had smashed the glass of the diving helmet and let the boat before the net had been discovered. Tom and Robert hasten to the *Fourquet*, convinced that Sebastian is on his way to that vicinity. The discovery, revealed by the diver, that Doctor White has planned to salvage the *Fourquet* is a surprise to Tom. As the doctor is Jessica's guardian, he feels he must withdraw from the enterprise. He proposes to Robert to resign his share in the project to Doctor White, the arrangement to split the hoped for prize three ways still standing, but with Tom out of it. It is so arranged.

CHAPTER X

IT WAS by this time five o'clock, a full day in that high altitude and the month of July. The sun was scorching the top of a fog that it

might or might not be able to dissipate by noon. This sea fog that brings the blood to the girls' cheeks is not worth much to the toller of the sea, unless perchance he be a contrabandist.

Tom feared that it might be worth a lot to Sebastian, who would have had ample time by now to get round to his fishing ground.

"You and I may not have anything on the skunk," he said to Robert. "But Dave McFarlane has, and we can work that somehow. Let's run over and see if he is there, and if he's not we'll break out the doctor and get his view on where we all stand."

Robert wearily agreed. He felt that since the running of the show had been taken out of his hands, the best he could do was to trail along, thankful that it was at least in honest ones. Tom started the engine, and the tide being far out, gave the rocks jutting out off Whale Island a wide berth and approached the *Corvette* ledge on its outer end.

Just here the fog seemed to have thinned a little, or perhaps the growing strength of solar rays may have rendered it pellucid. As Tom bore

down on the debated ground he started suddenly into a sort of misdirected amphitheater where an a bound spectacle was in course of being rendered.

Two animated objects were presented simultaneously. Just ahead lay Sebastian's heavy cruiser, with Sebastian by the mizzen shrouds and in the act of aiming a lethal weapon. And here on Tom's port bow was the moving target, a rowboat vigorously propelled by an oarsman that Tom recognized instantly as Doctor White.

The little shallop was badly trimmed for a race with bullets down in the bow with a weight that represented an abstract value greater to Tom than that of his immortal soul, and a concrete worth in pounds avoirdupois or Troy more than its equivalent in radium, a substance that to him was no more luminous.

The immediate effect of this tableau on Tom was to draw a red film across his vision. The yell of a blood-lusting corsair burst from his big chest. It reached Sebastian, who lowered his arm. He stared for a moment at the boat foaming down on him, then, mindful of his need to avoid every appearance of evil, he shambled to the other side of the deck and dropped his weapon overboard. Perhaps it was his intention to deny that there had been any pistol, that his gesture had been a harmless one, wrongly interpreted as menacing, or purposely so for the dishonest motive of putting him in the wrong.

If so, it failed to serve him any useful purpose. Tom, and as the aforementioned bull and charging as impetuously, neither slowed nor swerved his boat. The yawl-crigged cruiser was being broadside on to his fore-and-aft dimension. Before any of the three aboard the anchored vessel could guess Tom's intention, a nemesis had hurried from the void. The heavy launch, nearly straight of bow and built of solid oak, many of the boats constructed for a diver or party jacking in the rough, sea-green water, crashed and fell into the cruiser's prow, on her most non-resisting point, which is dead-end amidships, and at the most dangerous angle to the stricken craft, that of ninety degrees.

No small craft could receive such a body blow and still stay afloat, and as the blow was for Apple's explosion and the pressure of ice. The launch went into the punky tub like a woodman's ax into a rotten log. Some few yards before the crash, Tom had called to Robert, "Stand by for a r——" and Robert had



obeyed this order instantly by dropping to a sitting posture with his feet braced against the motor box.

Notwithstanding the disparity of weight between a thirty-foot open launch and a fifteen-ton fishing cruiser, the latter was considerably listed. Tom had rammed her nicely as she rolled away from him on the long low swell, and as she rolled back again she bore the launch's bow down almost awash, so that the propeller churned half in air, like an eggbeater. Tom reversed, and as the cruiser rolled sluggishly away again the launch backed clear.

After the first wild clasp of yells, Sebastian and his men were mute. Had the collision been an accident, the air would have remained filled with their vociferous abuse, but they knew it was no accident. Also, it was necessary to consider their plans for the immediate future. The vessel was doomed, the brine pouring into her through a gap in which a fat pig could have scratched both sides.

Sebastian seemed to take it with the Indian stoicism that was a part of him. He hauled his dory alongside and started to throw the diving gear down into her, the two men rapidly salvaging other objects. Lower and lower settled the doomed ship, drawn down with increasing speed as the gap in her sank deeper and drank more thirstily. With her decks almost awash Sebastian and his men got aboard the dory and cast off. He did not so much as glance at Tom and Robert.

Tom's hasty survey showed him that the launch had not suffered greatly. A boat strongly built can withstand a tremendous impact head on if the object struck gave a little, and the frame and plating of the old cruiser had given a deal. The launch's bow was gouged and splintered, but she still was

float, and the solid lag screws that held the motor to the oaken bed had been equal to the strain, of course, such eventually being duly considered by the builders.

Then, with a lack of demonstration that had something pitiful about it, the cruiser went down to its long rest. She did this much as an old horse lies down, a lurch forward, an other aft, then a grunt and general settlement. A great many hissing bubbles rose, and there formed over the spot a great bland area of pea cock hums, oil enough to credit them with a sub, as Robert observed to Tom.

It seemed to Tom that Sebastian might have saved his craft if he had wished; he wanted her and rigged a cotton net. But the man seemed indifferent, apathetic, as if he had been hit by a tidal wave or had been involved in a pair of business rivals in an open launch. The truth of the matter is that Sebastian was badly wrecked. He knew what these tactics led to, could he live, once they got afloat, and Tom impressed him as being well on his way. Sebastian actually expected to be sent down after his boat.

This certainly would have happened if he had fired on Doctor White and Jessica. In such event it is certain that Tom would have slain him. Even as it was he glared across the water at Sebastian as if mindful to finish his job.

Tom had good reason to feel that way about it. Not only was he convinced that the man had intend-

ed to murder Jessica and Doctor White, but the entire situation was infuriating. Here was Tom out of the running, so far as the winning of any scrapstake was concerned, still smarting from the sharp lesson in good faith read him by Robert, humiliated at the way in which the man of Miquelon had humiliated him, even to the extent of a compulsory nocturnal bath.

The red mist had not yet cleared from Tom's vision, any more than it might from that of the fighting bull which having charged and gored the wretched crowd bestridden by a pleader, casts about with lurid eyes for a more interesting victim.

Here was no time for abuse. It needed but a whisper, Sebastian thought, to start Tom afresh on his devastating career. He could see that Tom was holding himself in leash, asking to be asked, when he would foam down again to smash him and his mates, rip them up, churn them into fish slum, egg-beat them up with his screw and generally shatter and stir them into fine particles suspended in brine.

He might have carried out this program without waiting to be invited, had not Doctor White called sharply, "Tom."

"Yes, sir," Tom answered. In a dull voice, his eyes still fastened on the dory.

"That's enough berserk stuff. Let those men go their way."

"Very good, sir," Tom moved slowly ahead toward the dory, Sebastian watching him warily and in silence. No doubt he was wishing there were not so many spectators for a little exhibition of knife throwing. But this was not the moment. Also, silence was golden.

Tom gave him a stony glare. "I'll be coming ashore soon," he said. "If I meet up with you I'll tear you into rags. Go that!"

Sebastian looked as if he had got it.

"What's left of you when I get through," Tom said, "won't be worth looking up, for something that helmet. But that's what we'll do with the remains." He made a violent gesture, "Beat it, and keep on beating it while you've got a chance."

Sebastian gave a little shrug and went rowing out of the scene. If he felt he had a claim against Tom he did not bother with the effort to collect it. He had been into Yankee before, and found them tough, strong-flavored meat. Better call it a bad bet.

Tom looked then at Jessica and promptly forgot Sebastian. There was the sort of glow in that girl's violet eyes that Tom had despised of ever being able to kindle there. He could now observe it pulsate as she looked at him, the doctor having rowed up alongside. Jessica was the sort of young woman person to be deeply stirred at the summary disposal by a suitor of a scoundrel who had been on the verge of taking the lives of her guardian and herself. Tom had shown such thoroughness of detail.

Jessica did not repeat her hasty promise, "If Tom sinks that pig, I'll marry him." She now recalled with a thrill of delight that she stood committed, her statement duly recorded by the sea, the fog and Doctor White. Tom had made good, and Jessica was glad, because in those few breathless moments she had fallen in love with him. She did not realize just now that she was not free to promise herself to any man who could not line the nest with one hundred thousand dollars, and that her sacred covenant with her dying father must render such engagement null and void.

Tom, feeling lonely at the same time infinitely rich and hopelessly poor, looked from Jessica to the boat buoy that marked the line to the wreck. "What's that?" he asked. "That," said Doctor White, "is Jessica's claim to the *Fourquet*." He looked squarely at Robert. "Yesterday, just after leaving the island, my ward informed me that she had really had her mind on this wreck. Her reasoning was so clear that I overruled and telephoned for a diver."

promised to be here at daybreak, but must have been delayed by the fog.

"He's over at the fish wharf now," Tom said, "and he was delayed by Sebastian. A little job of sabotage."

"So that's what you meant just now when you threatened to look him up for the smashed helmet?" cried Jessica.

Tom nodded. He was wondering uncomfortably if he might not have

got himself into another jam. He had taken it for granted that Doctor White must have decided to have a go at the wreck, no doubt as the result of that quick contagion of treasure seeking to which nobody seems immune, and that his operations were based on some very intelligent deduction. So here now was Tom pledged to Robert that Doctor White would, on learning all the facts, back him up in his agreement, and Doctor White acting as it appeared in behalf of Jessica, the latest claimant on the *Fourquet*.

The same reflection was flashed on Robert's mind. His face hardened, but he asked politely, "On what does Miss Poole base her claim, sir?"

"On that buoyed line, of course, Lieutenant."

Robert made a despairing little gesture. "But surely, sir, you don't pretend to consider the buoying of a spot where the wreck might lie as enough to constitute an actual claim?"

Doctor White smiled. "That sort of location is sufficient in the case of gold or other mineral. You have only to drive your stakes, whether or not you know the stuff is there."

"But this is different," Robert protested. "It is not—how shall I say—wild, or hitherto undiscovered. It is actual property—lost property—"

"Then what," asked Doctor White, "would you consider to constitute a really valid claim?"

"Nothing short of a line actually made fast to the wreck," Robert answered promptly. "And even such a claim would of course be subject to contest if proofs of former ownership were established. That would, I admit, be rather difficult in such a case as this. But until a line is actually attached to the wreck, she is almost anybody's prize, sir."

The same holds true of any *Arcton* or *Arcton*, according to an ancient finding of the British admiralty, which has become practically an international law.

Doctor White nodded. "Precisely my idea. But in the case of a wreck on bottom where there is no immediate danger of her breaching up, it must be evident, as you say, that a line made fast to some part of her hull would constitute a valid claim. It would also be subject, I think, to contest the holder to an income tax against another claim under the salvage laws."

Most probably, said the doctor, but that would be only after the line was actually made fast."

"Granted, Lieutenant. But what that we are in agreement on that point," Doctor White dipped his oars, rowed several strokes to the buoy, hauled it aboard and taking a light in the line passed it through the ringbolt in the rowboat's stern and caught two half hitches. Glancing then at Robert he said pleasantly, "I have the honor to inform you, sir, that the other end of this line is fast to the *Fourquet*, if indeed the bulk below us is the wreck of that vessel."

Tom gave a gasp. He was beginning to see light. The heavy woolen gown in which Jessica was completely enveloped, together with her thick damp hair, combined with his own knowledge of her amphibious abilities, already had set him thinking, but Robert so far had suspected nothing. The gown might have been merely a protection against the morning chill, and her damp hair from the fog. He cannot, therefore, be greatly blamed for suspecting a Yankee trick, especially after having been educated a little in the dark possibilities of such.

He said with a frown, but still politely, "I fail to see, sir, how this line actually can be fast to the wreck, since your diver has not yet put in an appearance. An anchor dropped over or beside the bulk would scarcely be the same thing."

"Of course not, Lieutenant," Doctor White admitted, "but such is not the case. My ward, who is an expert diver, went down about an hour ago in four fathoms of water and made the end of this line fast to a shattered plank end in the bottom of the wreck."

Tom fell back with a sort of strangled whoop. Robert stared wildly for an instant, then flung up his hands with a gesture of dismay. "Holy—mackerel!" borrowing from Tom's list of censored expletives. Then, being really a good sport, which is to say a game loser, he added softly, "T—"

To be continued.

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MEN'S TURKEY SUPPER

Preparations are going merrily on for the men's turkey supper, of which mention has previously been made in these columns. The names of the managing chiefs have already been announced, hence no fears need be entertained as to the quality or quantity of the food to be served. Can the men of the Congo Parish make good pies? Just wait and see. Al Van says that sixty pies have already been promised. Who says that these men have no piety?

As to service: Just read the names of the General Dining-room Committee: Percival Fautloneroy Crane, Calamity Cal Bailey and Wilfred Tarrant Myers. These men will be ably assisted by the following experienced "food slingers": Sam Blackwood, Paul Thurston, Herman Mason, O. H. Anderson, Doc Brown, Frank Robertson, Tom Brown, Edward Hanson, Earl Williamson, Louis Van, Philip Chapman, Arthur Cutler, with several others on the waiting list.

Having directed dining room service for so many years, Sam Blackwood doubtless thinks it will be a welcome diversion to give an exhibition of the art of real service, and Paul Thurston says he is confident that he can give Sam the same kind of a neck and neck race that he gave Governor Brann.

Not a word can we get from the Entertainment Committee. All their rehearsals are held behind locked doors, with the key-holes plugged; but you can rest assured that Parson Edwards, Ed Lyon and Percy Brinck will give you something worth listening to.

The important thing is to get your supper ticket before they are all disposed of. John Butts will deliver same to you upon request. Don't forget the date, March 14th, 8:30 o'clock. Congregational dining hall.

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to take the opportunity offered through the Citizen to express my sincere thanks to the many voters of Bethel who attended the town meeting willing and expecting the privilege of giving me their support.

HENRY W. BOYKER



CLIFFORD E. RUSSELL

CLIFF RUSSELL TO BE PRIMARY CANDIDATE FOR REGISTER OF DEEDS

Clifford E. (Cliff) Russell, the popular catcher of the Norway-Park Pine Tree League baseball club, has announced his candidacy for the nomination as Register of Deeds in the Eastern District of Oxford County, in the June Primaries.

"Cliff" is the son of Leon L. Russell, grain dealer of South Paris, and has been a resident of that town for 22 years, coming there in his early youth from Leeds. He is a graduate of South Paris High School where he was twice elected president of his class. He also served as president of the Athletic Association of the High School, being captain of both the baseball and basketball teams.

After attending Kents Hill "Cliff" was employed for a time as automobile salesman for O. K. Clifford. He has also been employed by the Fitch & Prime company of Newcomb, N. Y., in timber operations and is now employed by Ralph Sturgis of Norway in similar work.

Last season "Cliff" was the unanimous selection as all Pine Tree catcher for the Pine Tree League. His many friends among the followers of the national pastime will greet his announcement with interest.

EASY ACES

The Easy Aces continue to meet weekly for their evening of bridge. Mrs. Ruth Carver, Mrs. Winona Cutler and Mrs. Elsie Davis have been recent hostesses, affording the club three delightful evenings.

Mrs. Jane Van carried off high honors on two of these occasions, while Mrs. Cassie Thurston substituting for Mrs. Winona Cutler, won high score on the third. Mrs. Doris Bryant, Mrs. Olive Lurvey and Miss Lucia Van were the three consolation winners.

There have been some very interesting distributions of cards. Mrs. Thelma Van has held Ace-King of the four suits in one hand. At another time Miss Lucia Van held nine hearts with the five honors.

Mrs. Marguerite Flint substituted one evening for Mrs. Olive Lurvey and Miss Lucia Van has substituted for Mrs. Thelma Van.

BETHEL SCHOOL BANK REPORT

Week of March 5, 1934

Grade Savings Bank	Total	Per Cent
Primary School		
I	\$1.00	.05
II		.25
III		.15
IV		.25
	\$1.00	.70
Grammar School		
V	\$1.00	.10
VI		.60
VII		.25
VIII		.05
	\$1.00	1.00

Fourth and Sixth have banners.

Kingsbury L. Piper of Bangor took the oath as United States Marshal for Maine on March 1.

CHURCH ACTIVITIES

FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

L. A. Edwards, Pastor
9:30 Church School. Miss Ida Packard Superintendent. Last week the pastor's class lost the banner to Miss Zola White's class. Congratulations! But, try and keep it. 11:00 Morning Worship. The pastor's subject will be "The People." This will be the last in the series on "Things of Importance in the Life of the Nation."

We are living in a Machine Age. There is no denying the fact that one of the contributing factors to this protracted period of unemployment is the Machine. For the past one hundred years we have glorified invention. We have almost canonized the individual who has lightened our labors and added to our leisure; but in spite of all the admitted advantages that have come through these things, have we not become painfully aware of the truth of the old adage that "An idle brain (and we might include an idle body) is the devil's workshop?"

The life of the nation is not represented by the products of engineering and chemistry; but by the human element; to safeguard this then should become our first and major concern.

6:30 Comrades of the Way. The program will take the form of a dialogue between two of our members, the subject being "God or Caesar."

METHODIST CHURCH

R. C. Dalzell, Pastor
9:45 Sunday School. Supt. Mrs. Myrtle Lapham.

11:00 Morning Worship. Evangelist Earl Anthony will preach in the morning and evening. The community is cordially invited to come to hear this talented evangelist from New York. Special music with special hymn books for this occasion. The evangelist will speak every evening except Saturday. Let us forget some of our usual activities during these weeks and consecrate our time to something worth while. "What shall it profit a man if he gain the whole world and lose his soul or what shall a man give in exchange for his soul?" Some give pleasure, some give gold, some give lust.

6:30 Epworth League. Topic, Joseph. Leader, Mrs. Stanley Wentzel. During this campaign the Prayer League of the Church, whose president is Mrs. Asa Bartlett, will continue to conduct prayer services.

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CHRISTIAN SCIENCE CHURCH

Sunday School at 10 o'clock. Services Sunday morning at 10:45. Subject of the lesson sermon: Man. Wednesday testimonial meeting at 7:30 p. m.

WEST BETHEL

There will be an entertainment at the Grange Hall on Friday evening, March 9th, for the benefit of the Sunday School.

Mr. and Mrs. Byron Abbott and little daughter of South Portland were week end guests of his mother, Mrs. Clara Abbott, and brother, Carroll Abbott, and family.

Schools reopened Monday, March 5, after a week's recess. Mrs. Raymond Bennett and children have returned to their home after spending several weeks with her parents at Norway Lake. Warren Bean was in Norway on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Head and son John were Sunday visitors in Andover, the guests of Mrs. Head's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Akers. Miss Ada Dunham of Bryant Pond is assisting in the home of Mrs. Emma Mills.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Rolfe spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Philip Rolfe. George Bennett was a recent visitor at Grover Hill.

BOY SCOUT NEWS

Report of Meeting, Sat., Mar. 3
Meeting opened by repeating Scout Oath, after which the roll was called. Fourteen scouts were present. Scoutmaster read from the troop's book, "Lessons of a Lifetime." Each patrol had a short meeting after which the Scoutmaster talked on what to do in emergencies. Meeting was closed by repeating the first Scout Law, then games were played.

The following tests have been passed during the last week: Cooking and Fire-building by Dana Brooks, Parker Brown, Talbot Crane, Royden Keddy, and Murray Thurston.

Scout Oath and Law by Edward Robertson.

Observation by Parker Brown, Cecil Wentzel, Irving Brown, Royden Keddy, and Talbot Crane.

First Aid (second class) and Boxing the Compass by Talbot Crane.

GIRL SCOUT NEWS

The Girl Scouts held their thirteenth meeting at the usual meeting place on March 5 with an attendance of 14. The meeting was opened by forming the horseshoe and singing America. There were six new girls present who wish to become members of the scouts. The scouts studied the compass at the meeting. Games were played. Captain Mrs. Agnes Twaddle was still unable to be present, but all are hoping to see her at our next meeting. The meeting came to a close with the singing of the scout song. The Court of Honor immediately followed. Scout Scribe.

NOTICE

The annual meeting of the Trustees of the Bethel Library Association will be held at the home of Dr. F. B. Hanson on Monday evening, March 12, 1934, at 7:30 o'clock.

CLEO A. RUSSELL, Secretary.

Married

In West Paris, March 3, by Rev. Eleanor B. Forbes, Clayton A. Swift and Ursula L. Rowe, both of West Paris.

Died

In Hebron, Feb. 26, Irving L. Joslin of Norway, aged 25 years.

In Lewiston, March 4, George H. Bennett, formerly of Norway, aged 80 years.

In Norway, March 4, Herbert F. Andrews, aged 68 years.

In West Paris, March 5, George W. Riddon, aged 78 years.

ODEON HALL, BETHEL

Show Starts at 8:15
Children 20c Adults 35c

Saturday, March 10

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HOW MUCH DO YOU KNOW?

Questions

- 1 Name two prominent aviators who recently finished a world air tour.
- 2 Ralph Connor is the pen name of what writer?
- 3 How many stars did the first flag have?
- 4 In the Bible who was advised by an angel to flee into Egypt?
- 5 What is a small body of land surrounded by water called?
- 6 What is the birthstone of February?
- 7 Does the removal of cork from a tree injure the tree?
- 8 Give two uses of the beet.
- 9 Name an active volcano in Italy.
- 10 For what is Rochester, Minn. noted?

Answers to Last Week's Questions

- 1 The rays of the sun on falling moisture, rain or mist.
- 2 Democratic Party.
- 3 Franklin D. Roosevelt.
- 4 During life or good behavior.
- 5 It is reflected from the sun.
- 6 The reflection of sound waves.
- 7 War.
- 8 Simon, a native of Cyrene, a city of North Africa.
- 9 A ship that sails under the water.
- 10 Hugh S. Johnson.

GREENWOOD CENTER

There was no school Friday on account of the illness of the teacher, Miss Morgan.

Floyd Merrill of Bethel was a recent caller in the place.

Miss Sylvia Morgan visited with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Morgan at North Paris over the week end.

Mary Martin has returned to her school at Mason after spending a vacation of four weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Martin. Chester Morey of the Tubbs District called on his cousin, Roy Martin, recently.

COCOANUT MACAROONS, pkg. 15c
TEMPLE ORANGES, doz. 45c
OUDAH'S PURITAN LEAF LARD, pail 49c
ARMORITA COLD CREAM
COMPLEXION SOAP, cake 10c

UNEEDA BAKERS' SODA CRACKERS, 2-lb. pkg. 33c, 1-lb. pkg. 19c
SNOW FLAKE WAFERS, 1-lb. pkg. 22c
DANDY OYSTER CRACKERS, 1-lb. pkg. 18c
SPECIAL COMMONS, 1-lb. pkg. 14c
GRAHAM CRACKERS, 1-lb. pkg. 21c

JORDAN'S BAKED HAM, lb. 43c
JORDAN'S CANADIAN BACON, lb. 35c

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BETHEL AND VICINITY

Asa Sessions was in town several days the first of the week.

Asa Bartlett is confined to home on Vernon Street by illness. Mrs. Harry Levy of California is visiting her mother, Mrs. H. S. rey.

Mrs. Grace Macfarlane is assisting in the housekeeping at the home of Louis Van.

Misses Lucia Van and Marg Hanscom were in Portland the of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Anderson in Lewiston last Friday and Saturday to attend the Bates Tournament.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Cutler several days in Farmington week. Their son John visited aunt, Mrs. O. G. King, at St. Paris.

Mrs. Lucian Littlehale is working for Mrs. Guy Rice. Mrs. Rice mains quite ill at her home on Vanon street.

Miss Thelma Bennett is week's guest of her brother, Harold Bennett, and family inington, Mass.

Mrs. E. E. Whitney is making good recovery from a broken arm the result of a fall on Main Street some time ago.

The Clark house on Main Street is being repaired. Mr. and Mrs. F. Maurice Vail and family expect move in the first of April.

H. H. Annas was the speaker at a meeting of the Farm Bureau Wednesday afternoon. The subject was Home Gardening, and the meeting was in charge of Mrs. A. E. Chman.

Miss Dora Baker was tendered a party at her home on her birthday Tuesday evening. Games and dancing were enjoyed and refreshments of ice cream and cake were served.

Mrs. Sadie Tuell went to Massachusetts Saturday, where she spend several weeks with her daughter and daughter, Gilbert Tuell and Mrs. Gotthard Carlson.

A benefit card party will be held at Bethel Inn at 7:30 Monday evening, to raise money for books for the library. Contract, auction, or any other card games may be played. Any citizen of Bethel is interested in helping the library is urged to come and to please notify any member of the committee which consists of Mrs. Paul Thurston, Mrs. S. N. Blackwood, and Mr. Gilbert Tuell.

The turkey supper served by the men of the Congregational Church Wednesday drew the usual crowd. The supper and entertainment was of the customary high standard. The program included readings by Dr. Hanson; duet with encores Miss Kathryn Brinck and Ard Rinkley, accompanied by Mrs. Henry Lyon; trumpet solo and encores by Henry Marlinson, accompanied by Miss Jane Linston; solo and encores, Milan Chapin, accompanied by Mrs. F. H. Russell; monologue by Earle Eldredge, accompanied by Mrs. Lawrence Lord.

Mrs. Doris Lord entertained the Easy Aces this week at the home of Mrs. Cassie Thurston. The evening was especially pleasurable as the club took this opportunity to surprise Mrs. Thurston with a shower of birthday gifts. Mrs. Thurston very kindly served the guests with delicious homemade cream and cake. Two birthday cakes were added to the refreshments by members of the club. Prize for high score was won by Mrs. Patricia Bennett, and Mrs. Thurston, who substituted for Mrs. Dorothy Tucker, received the consolation.